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For: RISING AND MOVING APPARATUS AND MANUFACTURING METHOD
THEREOF

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST
FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Pursuant to the requirements of 37 CFR 1.114 concerning a "submission" to be filed with a Request for Continued Prosecution, Applicants respectfully submit this Amendment responsive to the Office Action dated 7 October 2005. Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified case be amended as follows prior to its further substantive consideration by the Examiner in this Request for Continued Examination proceeding: